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Group Art Unit : 3712

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 23, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

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song lyrics, even if combined, there is no suggestion of affirmatively wetting a page poster or book that has been pre-waterproofed in order to apply or adhere a page, poster or book to a shower wall surface solely by means of water adhesion, that is the water that is wetted along the page, poster or book facilitates forming a water layer between the page, poster or book and the wall surface.

Applicant notes that the language now present in all the claims relating to wetting the page, poster or book was recited in the claims as originally presented, namely, original claims 16, 32, 33 and 34. The same can be said regarding the language water relating adhesion as a result of a water layer formed between the page, poster or book and the shower enclosure surface -- see original claim 15.

In view of the above, it is respectfully requested that claims 1-2, 5-6, 16,18, 24-26, 28-29, 32, 34-35 and 38-45, all the claims now present in the application, should be granted allowance.

It is believed that no additional fees are required, but if any fees are required, they should be charged to Deposit Account No. 07-1730.

Early and favorable action is respectfully requested.

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